



National English Springer spaniel Field Trial Association

Hi all,

As many of you know I'm putting on the Open Championship this year in Cambridge Maryland starting on December 10th.

My Field Chair is Dan Lussen and we are looking forward to hosting a great event. We welcome everybody to attend and thank you for allowing us to put on this prestigious event for you. It's our pleasure and privilege.

Ted Lagala will be arranging all the hospitality, cocktail get togethers and the banquet. I'm looking forward to his contribution.

The birds will be awesome, they will be supplied by Blue Ribbon Pheasants in NY and we're putting together a great gun team for the event.

As many of you also know there are a lot of hidden costs putting on a 5 day event with all the bells and whistles.

We'll be offering Series Sponsorships, course flags, raffles and auctions but I'd also like to ask, especially those of you that think you can't make it and would like to make a donation to please do so. Donations for auctions and raffles are most welcome as well as cash donations. Your help will go a long way in making the 2018 National Open Championship a great success.

Our Fund Raising, Raffles and Auctions Chair this year is

Dawn Schuster. Her contact info is Phone 920-427-8540 you can call or text her. She will be glad to speak with you and book your series sponsorship or any other contribution you'd like to help with. Cash donations can be sent by check to Mhari Peschel. Please make note on check that it's a donation for 2018 NOC.

We are working on a shotgun raffle as well. More information to come on that soonest.

We have a great sponsor on board in Federal Arms and Ammunition. They are donating the shotgun shells for the trial.

Thanks everybody in advance for all your help.

I and the entire crew are looking forward to putting on a great event for everybody attending.

We'll get info posted on ESSFT soonest and update as needed.

Thank you again for the opportunity to host this prestigious event.

Feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.

Mike Wallace

President

National Open Championship

